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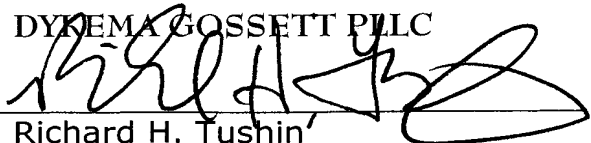
Sir:

The inventor herewith submits copies of the documents discussed on pages 2-5 of this application, as well as copies of the documents listed in the International Search Report, dated 27 April 2004 (note that USP 5,402,892 is a counterpart of JP 3259861).

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